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1. During the winter of 1953-54 the following signs of unemployment appeared in the districts of Podebrady and Nymburk.
2. In January - February 1954, 50 women were dismissed from the asbestos factory at Zverinek in the Nymburk District. These women were not replaced by men. It is expected that further dismissals of women will take place shortly if the shortage of raw material, mainly asbestos, continues.
3. The factory of TOS (Tovarna Obrabecich Stroju) - Celakovice, National Enterprise, at Celakovice, which up to the winter of 1953-54 had been operating on three shifts, has been on two shifts since January 1954, and even so the workers are very slack. They are not paid according to norms, which would amount to very little, but receive their basic pay, which is between 700 - 800 Kcs. monthly.
4. At the glass grinding and painting mill at Podebrady, 25 women and 20 men have been dismissed since January 1954 for lack of orders.

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